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"THE SIGHT IN HEAVEN."  
Nothing can tell us more  
of the grandeur of creation than this,  
that man is created in a stupendous vision,  
His God's of a mighty living stream.

And a "Choromman" down the river came,  
With a large carriage which call his name,  
"Great Father of all men." He said,  
"You must have your vision on the other side."

But the aged father did not mind,  
And the young man bowed his head,  
As when he bowed to "the church or not."

His pain caused stamping a gift aged book:  
"I found my home, and when I'm  
I shall want my book of Common Prayer  
And though I sit on a starry cross,  
I should not quite lose without my gown."

Then he fixed his eye on the shining tree,  
But his gown was hairy and held him back,  
And the poor old father tried in vain,  
A single step in the flood to gain.

I saw him again on the other side,  
His milk stood frozen on the tide;  
And we sat down at this blissful spot,  
Whether he belonged to "the church or not."

Then down to the river a Quaker strayed,  
His eyes of a sober one was made:  
"My coat and hat must be all of gray,  
I cannot go any other way."

Then he buttoned his coat straight up to his chin,  
And steady, calmly waded in,  
And the old Quaker had pulled down his  
tights over his face so cold and white.

But a strong wind carried away his hat;  
A moment he silently sighed over that  
And gazed with the gaze of the farther shore  
The clouds were over and was soon no more.

As he entered heaven, his suit of gray  
Went quietly sailing—away—away,  
And none of the angels questioned him about  
The width of his bower's brim.

Next came Dr. Watts with a bundle of  
frames tied up in his aged arms,  
And frames as many, a very wise thing,  
Thus the people in heaven, "all round,"  
said.

But I thought he heaved an anxious sigh,  
As he saw, that the river ran broad and high,  
And looked rather surprised as, one by one,  
The people in heaven, them far and wide.

And after him with his Mrs.,  
Came Wesley, the pattern of godliness,  
"Dear me, whoa, what shall I do?  
The water has come, them far and wide."

And then the river, far and wide,  
They went down the swelling tide,  
And the same astonished passed through  
Without his manuscripts up to the shores.

Then—gently walking, two saints, by  
name,  
Down to the Jordan together came,  
Not a moment's time the river's brink,  
I saw one saint from the other saint.

"Sprinkled or plunged, may I ask you,  
What you stand for life's great end?"  
"Two or three drops on my brow,"  
"But I have dipped, as you'll see me now."

And I really think it will hardly do,  
As in "close communion" to cross with you;  
Your house, I know, to the realms of bliss,  
But you must go that way, and I'll go this."

Then straightway plunging, with all his might,  
To the left—his friend to the right,  
And they went from this world of sin,  
But as lost together they entered in.

And now, when the river was down,  
A Presbyterian church went down;  
Of women there seemed an innumerable  
But few I could count as they passed along.

And concerning the road they could never agree,  
The old or the new way, which it could be,  
For a moment paused to think; That both would lead to the river's brink;

And a sound of murmuring long and loud,  
Came up from the moving crowd,  
"You're in the old way, and I'm in the new,  
That's the true way, and this is the true!"  
"Or, I'm in the old way; and you're in the new."  
That is the case, and this is the true."

But the brethren only seemed to speak;   
Most of them silent, and some, And if ever one of them chanced to say, What trouble she met with on her way, How she longed to pass to the other side, Her heart to cross over the swelling tide.

A voice from the brethren then; "Let none speak but the holy prophet; For, have ye not heard the words of Paul, Oh, let the world keep silence all."

I watched them long in my curious dream, Till they were gone, and the scene of the dream; But the voices were talking still, And those who were talking, till the headvoice died, Crossed over, side by side.

And beside, for the way was one,   
The old and the new, the same, and the same; And all who in Christ theaviour died, Came out alike on the other side.

No forms, or crosses, or books of any,   
No forms of silk, or ornaments of any,   
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